

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**

**ABSTRACT**

Forest Department- Diversion of 4.05 ha. of Forest Land in Mamda RF, Nirmal Forest Division, for erection of 132 KV DC/SC line from Nirmal to Khanapur, in favour of AP TRANSCO- Permission accorded- Orders issued.

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ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (FOR.I) DEPARTMENT

**G.O.Ms.No. 4**

**Dated:11-01-2011**

**Read the following:-**

1. From PCCF. A.P, Hyderabad, Lr.Rc.No. 44694/2004-F1, Dated: 28-5-2006.
2. State Government letter No.5646/For.I (1)/2006-1, Dated: 27-6-2006.
3. From GOI, MoEF, Bangalore, Lr.No.4-APB229/2006-BAN/3338, Dt.01-12-2008.
4. State Government letter No.5646/For.I (1)/2006, Dated: 26-8-2010.
5. From GOI, MoEF, Bangalore, Lr.No.4-APB229/2006-BAN/8324, Dt.10.12.2010.

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**ORDER:**

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad in his letter 1<sup>st</sup> read above had submitted a proposal for diversion of 4.05 ha. of Forest Land in Mamda RF, Nirmal Forest Division, for erection of 132 KV DC/SC line from Nirmal to Khanapur, in favour of AP TRANSCO and requested to send the same to Government of India, Ministry of Environment & Forests for their approval under Section-2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

2. The said proposal has been sent to Government of India for their approval under Forest (C ) Act, 1980 vide State Government letter 2<sup>nd</sup> read above. The Government of India in their letter 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, have accorded their approval in principal (Stage.I) for the proposal, subject to compliance of certain conditions. The State Government vide letter 4<sup>th</sup> read above, have furnished compliance report on the conditions stipulated by the Government of India.

3. Government of India in their letter 5<sup>th</sup> read above, have accorded their approval (Stage.II) under Section-2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, for diversion of 4.05 ha. of Forest Land in Mamda RF, Nirmal Forest Division, for erection of 132 KV DC/SC line from Nirmal to Khanapur, in favour of AP TRANSCO for a period of 20 years, subject to certain conditions.

4. Government after careful examination of the proposal, hereby accord permission to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad for diversion of 4.05 ha. of Forest Land in Mamda RF, Nirmal Forest Division for erection of 132 KV DC/SC line from Nirmal to Khanapur, in favour of AP TRANSCO for a period of 20 years, subject to the following conditions:

1. The legal status of the forest land shall remain unchanged.
2. The Compensatory Afforestation shall be raised over 4.05 ha., identified non-forest land in Survey.No.13 of Advi Sarangapur Village of Khanapur Mandal at the cost of user agency. The State Government shall obtain prior permission of Central Government for change of location and schedule of Compensatory Afforestation site, if any.

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3. Non forest land for Compensatory Afforestation shall be notified by the State Government as R.F./P.F. and Nodal Officer (FCA) shall report the compliance within 6 months.
  4. Additional amount of Net Present Value (NPV) for the diverted forest land if any, due as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court dated 28.03.2008 and 09.05.2008 in IA Nos.826 in 566 with related IA's in Writ Petition (Civil) No.202/1995 shall be realized from the user agency and transferred to Ad-hoc CAMPA in account number CA-1578 of Corporation Bank, Block-II, CGO Complex, Phase-I, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110 003 under intimation to the Regional Office, MoEF, Bangalore.
  5. Only minimum number of trees shall be cut based on actual requirement for laying the transmission line.
  6. The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 4.05 ha. In case the land is not taken over by the user agency or the same is not used for the stipulated purpose within a period of two years, then the area shall be taken back by the Forest Department.
5. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad is directed to take further necessary action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To  
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests,  
Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

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The Executive Engineer, TLC Division, AP TRANSCO, Karimnagar (A.P)

//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER